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PART V.

Season Report for the week ending with the Forty-fifth Saturday in November 1931.
(*7th November* 1931.)

District and Station	Rainfall up to 8 A.M on Saturday 7th November 1931										Price of food grains in seers per rupee and market fluctuations in prices of food grains			
	This week		Last ten years' average for the corresponding week		Up to the end of the week from 1st January 1931									
					This year		Average of past ten years		Excess (+) or deficit (—) of column 4 compared with column 5					
1	2		3		4		5		6		7			
	I.	c.	I.	c.	I.	c.	I.	c.	I.	c.		This week	Past week	Past ten years' fortnightly average
												Seers	Seers	Seers.
BANGALORE														
Bangalore City & Taluk	0	88	1	33	24	94	30	48	—5	54				
Hoskote ...	0	31	0	56	22	44	29	24	—6	80				
Dodballapur ...	0	15	1	09	22	95	24	85	—1	90	Rice, 2nd sort.	8·00	7·00	5 50
Nelamangala ...	0	40	1	23	23	60	25	42	—1	82				
Kankanhalli ...	0	66	0	98	13	74	23	59	—9	85	Ragi	16·00	18·00	12·00
Magadi ...	1	58	0	74	24	02	28	58	—4	56				
Channapatna ...	0	43	1	29	17	45	26	47	—9	02	Kulthi	14·00	13·00	12·00
Anekal ...	1	41	0	81	19	97	51	46	—31	49				
Devanhalli ...	0	16	0	84	14	80	23	94	—9	14	Kadale	7·00	7·00	5·00
Closepet ...	0	61	1	04	19	37	25	91	—6	54				
District average ...	0	66	0	90	20	33	28	99	—8	66				
Kolar ...	0	45	1	78	18	25	24	30	—6	05				
ingpet ...	1	09	1	25	17	62	24	42	—6	80				
amani ...	1	99	1	48	14	12	26	71	—12	59	Rice, 2nd sort.	8·00	8·00	5·00
agal ...	0	85	1	71	23	15	27	19	—4	04				
aghatta ...	0	53	0	96	14	95	26	06	—11	11	Ragi	18·00	20·00	15·00
ikballapur ...	0	31	1	06	21	60	28	36	—6	76				
gepalli ...	0	58	1	50	22	30	25	72	—3	42	Kulthi	12·00	12·00	15·00
oribidnur ...	2	77	1	16	22	12	23	48	—1	36				
alur ...	0	55	1	34	18	98	27	27	—8	29	Kadale	8·00	8·00	5·00
inivaspur ...	2	76	1	76	16	81	26	47	—9	66				
udibanda ...	0	25	1	59	16	70	25	76	—9	06				
District average ...	1	10	1	42	18	78	25	98	—7	20				
TUMKUR														
Tumkur ...	0	21	1	24	24	35	27	66	—3	31				
Madhugiri ...	0	73	1	35	19	11	23	38	—4	27				
Chiknayakanhalli ..	0	46	1	59	25	13	24	23	—0	90	Rice, 2nd sort.	8·00	7·00	4·50
Sira ...	0	49	1	37	19	68	17	39	+2	29				
Gubbi ...	0	35	0	75	21	35	21	82	—0	47	Ragi	16·00	19·00	10·00
Tiptur ...	0	10	1	57	14	68	19	28	—4	60				
Pavagada ..	0	16	1	52	9	82	18	13	—8	31	Kulthi	14·00	13·00	10·00
Kunigal ..	1	39	1	33	22	02	27	13	—5	11				
Koratagere ..	0	60	1	57	11	86	21	58	—9	72	Kadale	8·00	8·00	4·50
Turuvekere ...	0	86	1	94	17	62	24	53	—6	91				

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	This week		Last ten years' average for the corresponding week		Up to the end of the week from 1st January 1931					
					This year		Average of past ten years		Excess (+) or deficit (—) of column 4 compared with column 5	
1	2		3		4		5		6	
	I.	c.	I.	c.	I.	c.	I.	c.	I	c.
MYSORE										
Mysore ...	1	93	1	24	19	94	23	72	—3	78
Chamrajnagar ..	3	43	1	55	21	33	20	80	—0	53
Seringapatam ..	1	65	1	68	14	98	22	75	—7	77
Hunsur ..	1	52	1	07	24	81	25	61	—0	80
Yedatore ..	0	67	1	41	21	90	22	49	—0	59
Heggaddevankote ..	2	44	1	24	29	55	33	44	—8	89
Gundlupet ...	3	36	2	14	17	72	23	84	—6	12
Nanjangud ..	3	55	1	34	21	61	25	30	—3	71
T.-Narsipur ...	3	48	1	82	15	95	24	46	—8	51
Malvalli ..	1	74	1	32	17	62	22	20	—4	58
Mandya ..	1	10	1	41	14	35	21	95	—7	60
Krishnarajpete ...	1	09	0	95	29	41	25	86	+3	55
Nagamangala ..	1	79	1	51	17	88	23	83	—5	95
Periyapatna Sub-Tk...	1	28	0	00	27	52	3	78	+23	74
Maddur ...	0	00	0	00	00	00	00	00	—0	00
District average ..	2	07	1	33	21	04	22	85	—1	81
HASSAN										
Hassan ...	0	93	0	94	33	15	28	65	+4	50
Manjarabad (Saklespur)	0	82	0	87	125	19	98	34	+26	85
Arkalgud ..	1	67	1	27	28	62	39	41	—10	79
Belur ..	1	51	0	87	39	51	37	66	+1	85
Channarayapatna ...	1	72	1	01	25	69	24	74	+0	95
Arsikere ...	0	39	1	49	16	65	24	00	—7	35
Hole-Narsipur ...	3	67	0	93	24	03	25	03	—1	00
Alur ..	1	48	1	06	38	16	38	93	—0	77
District average ...	1	52	1	05	41	37	39	59	+1	78
SHIMOGA										
Shimoga ...	0	96	1	43	29	73	39	40	—0	67
Channagiri ...	2	93	0	97	23	25	26	40	—3	15
Honnali ...	2	22	0	76	20	20	21	20	—1	00
Shikarpur ..	1	08	1	08	36	33	33	75	+2	58
Sorab ...	4	26	0	89	69	43	57	83	+11	60
Sagar ...	2	18	0	75	95	08	86	46	+8	62
Nagar (Kallurkatte)...	0	73	0	54	120	43	103	59	+16	84
Tirthahalli ...	0	75	0	69	130	98	120	17	+10	81
Kumsi ...	1	06	1	31	30	88	39	12	—8	24
District average ...	1	80	1	93	61	81	57	65	+4	16
KADUR										
Chikmagalur ...	1	60	0	76	32	49	31	05	+1	44
Kadur ...	1	66	1	08	16	29	22	32	—6	03
Tarikere ...	3	15	1	56	34	25	32	45	+1	80
Koppa ..	1	90	0	81	131	68	117	56	+14	12
Mudgere ...	1	25	0	73	104	48	91	30	+13	18
Narasimharajapura ...	1	97	0	78	75	83	74	66	+1	17
Sringeri ...	0	90	0	59	159	16	154	22	+4	94
District average ..	1	78	0	90	79	17	74	79	+4	38
CHITALDRUG										
Chitaldrug ...	3	03	1	68	19	97	22	68	—2	71
Challakere ...	3	00	1	36	12	99	16	29	—3	30
Hiriyur ...	2	56	1	41	10	26	18	87	—8	61
Holalkere ...	7	96	1	24	26	41	22	41	+4	00
Davangere ...	2	64	1	00	22	46	23	65	—1	19
Molakalmuru ..	2	00	1	16	14	76	20	82	—6	06
Jagalur ...	0	00	1	18	17	05	20	08	—3	03
Hosdurga ..	2	05	1	21	19	26	21	60	—2	34
Harihar ...	2	98	0	71	18	91	18	83	+0	08
District average ..	2	91	1	22	18	01	20	56	—2	57
Provincial average ..	1	57	1	15	34	81	36	64	—1	83

	This week	Past week	14 years fortnightly average
	Seers	Seers	Seers
Rice, 2nd sort	7·00	7·00	7·00
Ragi	20·00	20·00	11·00
Kulthi	13·00	13·00	11·00
Kadale	8·00	8·00	5·00
Rice, 2nd sort.	9·00	9·00	6·00
Ragi	22·00	22·00	16·00
Kulthi	15·00	14·00	14·00
Kadale	6·00	6·00	6·00
Rice, 2nd sort.	9·00	10·00	5·00
Ragi	25·00	32·00	11·30
Kulthi	14·00	13·00	7·51
Rice, 2nd sort	9·00	9·00	
Ragi	25·00	25·00	
Kulthi	16·00	16·00	10
Kadale	7·00	7·00	6
Rice, 2nd sort.	8·00	9·00	5·00
Ragi	20·00	25·00	10·00
Kulthi	16·00	16·00	8·00
Cholum	20·00	20·00	12·00
Kadale	8·00	8·00	5·00

NOTE.—Rice (husked)—Oryza Sativa
Ragi—Eleusine Coracana
Cholum—Sorghum Vulgare

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8. Markets are well supplied.

9. Progress of agricultural operations, state of standing crops, prospects and probable outturn of harvests, serious damage done to crops by insects or other natural calamities.

10. The prospects of the season, tracts in which the rainfall has been insufficient, areas affected by scarcity, number of people under relief, and state of food stocks.

11. Remarks as to the condition of agricultural stock, failure of pasturage or fodder, etc.

BANGALORE CITY AND TALUKS.

8. Well supplied.

9. 1. *Agricultural operations.*—Nil.

2. *Seeds sown.*—Nil.

3. *Harvest.*—Ragi has been reported to be being reaped in parts of Jigani Hobli in Anekal Taluk.

4. *State of Standing crops.*—Paddy, ragi, sugar-cane, kulthi and cereals are reported to be in good condition.

5. No damage is done to crops.

6. Rain is wanted in all parts.

10. Fair. Cooly classes find sufficient labour.

11. Cattle are reported to be generally healthy but for prevalence of Naradi Roga in Kolathur, Anekal Taluk. Water and fodder are available.

KOLAR.

8. Well supplied.

9. *Agricultural operations.*—Nil.

Standing crops.—Paddy, sugar-cane, ragi, avare, thogari, same, sajje, haraka, hurali and groundnuts are reported to be in a fair condition.

Crops sown.—Jola is being sown in Goribidnur Taluk.

Crops harvested.—Same and sajje are being harvested in Bagepalli and Bowringpet Taluks; groundnuts are being harvested in Bowringpet, Chikballapur Taluks; ragi and navane in Bagepalli and Goribidnur Taluks and onions in Chikballapur Taluk.

10. Prospects of the season are fair. Prices of food grains are stationary. Labour is available.

11. Cattle are reported to be healthy throughout the district. Pasture, water and fodder are available.

TUMKUR.

8. Markets are well supplied.

9. *Agricultural operations.*—Nil.

Crops sown.—Bengalgram, jola and Coriander in Chiknayakanhalli Taluk and sugar-cane and paddy in Kunigal Taluk.

Standing crops.—Paddy, sugar-cane, ragi, nati-ragi, navane, avare, thogari, haraka, castor, korale, horsegram, groundnut and tobacco are reported to be in good condition, but withering for want of rain.

Crops harvested.—Paddy and sugar-cane in Kunigal, Turuvekere Taluks; nati-ragi in Sira Taluk and save, navane and nati-ragi in Pavagada Taluk.

10. *Prospects of the season.*—Fair.

Relief works have been started to find labour for coolies in Madhugiri, Pavagada and Sira Taluks.

11. Cattle are reported to be healthy throughout the district except for the prevalence of black-quarter in some parts of Sira Taluk. Veterinary Inspector is said to have been addressed in the matter.

Water and fodder are available throughout the district except in parts of Pavagada where State Forests are thrown open for free grazing.

MYSORE.

8. Well supplied.

9. *Standing crops.*—Paddy, ragi, sugar-cane, mulberry, cotton, avare, halasande, thogari, castor, horsegram, groundnut, tobacco, jola, Bengalgram, til, greengram, and chillies, are reported to be in good condition.

Seeds sown.—Kadale and Coriander in Gundlupet Taluk; sugar-cane in Krishnarajpete Taluk; ragi in Seringapatam and Krishnarajpete Taluks; horsegram in Seringapatam and T.-Narasipur Taluks.

Crops harvested.—Sugar-cane in Krishnarajapete and Nagamangala Taluks; ragi in Krishnarajpete and Hunsur Taluks.

10. Prospects of the season are fair. Food stocks are available in sufficient quantity. The standing crops are still in need of rain in Mysore, Maddur, Mandya, Seringapatam and Yedatore Taluks.

11. Water and fodder are available. Cattle are reported to be healthy in all

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8. Well supplied.

9. *Crops sown.*—Nil.

Standing crops.—Paddy in the Hassan, Manjarabad, Arkalgud, Belur and Channarayapatna Taluks and in the Alur Sub-Taluk; sugar-cane in the Hassan, Arkalgud, Belur and Channarayapatna Taluks and in the Alur Sub-Taluk; avare in the Hassan Taluk and in the Alur Sub-Taluk; ragi in the Hassan, Arkalgud and Channarayapatna Taluks; togari and kulthi in Hassan and Arkalgud Taluks and in the Alur Sub-Taluk; jolam in the Arkalgud and Channarayapatna Taluks and chillies and castor in the Arkalgud Taluk are reported to be generally in good condition.

Crops harvested.—Sugar-cane is being harvested in the Alur Sub-Taluk.

10. Prospects of the season are reported to be generally good. Standing crops in the Hassan and Arsikere Taluks are reported to be in need of rains.

11. Cattle are reported to be generally healthy except for "Rinderpest" in the Arekalkalenahalli and Honnasettihalli villages, Channarayapatna Taluk. It is reported that remedial measures are being taken by the Veterinary Inspector.

Water and fodder are available.

SHIMOGA.

8. Markets well supplied.

9. *Agricultural operations.*—Nil.

Crops sown.—Jola in Honnall Taluk (Yenegar Jola).

Standing crops.—Paddy and sugar-cane in all the Taluks; ragi in Honnali, Channagiri, Sorab, Shikarpur Taluks and Kumsi Sub-Taluk; jola and groundnut in Honnali and Channagiri Taluks are reported to be in fairly good conditions.

Crops harvested.—Areca crop in the Taluks of Sagar and Tirthahalli, paddy in the Taluks of Sorab and Shimoga and Kumsi Sub-Taluk; ragi in the Taluks of Shimoga and Channagiri and jola in the Taluk of Channagiri are being harvested.

10. Prospects of the season are fair. Food grains are available and their prices are fairly steady. Cooly classes find sufficient labour.

11. Cattle are reported to be healthy in all the Taluks in the District except for 'Rinderpest' in the Kumsi Sub-Taluk (Kasaba). The Veterinary Inspector concerned has been addressed for taking necessary action for arresting the spread of the disease. Fodder and water are available.

KADUR.

8. Markets well supplied.

9. 1. *Agricultural operations.*—The land is being ploughed and made ready for Hingar crops.

2. *Crops sown.*—Coriander, Bengalgram and jolam in Tarikere Taluk.

3. *Standing crops.*—Paddy, ragi, coffee, cardamom, avare, horsegram, sugar-cane, onions, groundnut, castor, save, navane, togari, areca are reported to be in good condition. But areca crop in Sringeri Sub-Taluk is reported to have suffered to a small extent on account of Koleroga.

4. *Crops harvested.*—Ragi, save, navane, jolum in Kadur Taluk; areca and jolam in Tarikere Taluk, areca and cardamom in Mudgere and Koppa Taluks, paddy and areca in Narasimharajapura Sub-Taluk.

10. Prospects of the season are fair. Food grains are available and their prices are steady.

11. Cattle are generally healthy throughout the District. But it is reported that Rinderpest is prevailing in Pura village attached to Aldur, Chikmagalur Taluk. the Veterinary Inspector concerned has been requested to check the spread of the disease. Arrangements are also made to prevent the cattle of that village going elsewhere.

Water and fodder for cattle are available in all the Taluks and Sub-Taluks of the District.

CHITALDRUG.

8. Markets were adequately supplied.

Agricultural operations.—Sowing operations are reported to be going on in the Taluks of Hiriyur and Harihar and harvesting operations in Chitaldrug, Hiriyur, Holalkere, Davanger, Molakalmuru, Jagalur and Hosadurga.

Seeds sown.—Challakere :—Ragi (under Kapile wells). Hiriyur :—Jola, cotton, wheat and Bengalgram. Harihar :—Bili jola, wheat and Bengalgram.

9. *State of Standing crops.*—Standing crops are reported to be reviving on account of the recent rains in all the Taluks except Jagalur.

Crops harvested.—Chitaldrug.—Groundnut, jola and blackgram, (8 to 10 annas); Hiriyur.—Ragi and sugar-cane. Holalkere.—Jola 8 annas. Davangere :—Til, ragi and groundnut. Molakalmuru :—Jola, cotton, sajje, onions and ragi. Jagalur:—Jola, til and groundnut. Hosdurga :—Jola 8 annas.

10. Prospects of the season are fair. Prices of food stuffs are gradually rising. Cooly classes find sufficient labour.

11. Cattle are reported to be generally healthy except for Blackquarter in Molakalmuru Town. The Veterinary Inspector is taking measures to check the spread of the disease.